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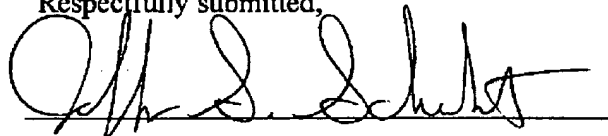
CONCLUSION

In the present response, Applicant has elected Group I, cancelled claims 10-16 and requested entry of new claims 21-27 in response the restriction requirement. Accordingly, Applicant believes that this response constitutes a complete response to the Office action. In light of the amendments made herein, Applicant believes that the pending claims are in condition for allowance. Accordingly, Applicant would request that the pending claims be allowed, and application advance toward issuance. If the Examiner has any questions, comments, or suggestions, the undersigned attorney would welcome and encourage a telephone conference at (512) 288-6635.

No fee is believed due with this paper. However, if any fee is determined to be required, the Office is authorized to charge Deposit Account 50-3295 for any such required fee.

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